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#### THURSDAY, JUNE 1

Breaking of the drouth in Kansas \$108 in Chicago.

The Senate passed the rivers and harbors appropriation bill, carrying and rye, use one part by weight of approximately \$43,000,000, by a vote each of these and two of cottonseed of 35 to 32, after adding many amendments.

The Republican convention will meet in Chicago next Wednesday and will select its nominee out of 15 candidates, of whom Hnghes seems to be the strongest and Roosevelt second. Most of the 985 delegates are uninstructed.

from sea and air during the war, 2,-166 persons have been killed or accurate statement of the percentage wounded. The number of deaths is 550. The figures were given in the House of Commons by Herbert L. Samuel, the home secretary.

A demonstration in favor of the nomination of Theodore Roosevelt by the republican national convention will be held in Louisville next Satarday night under the auspices of the Roosevelt Republican league. Plans for the demonstration, will take the form of a parade and mass meeting.

Albert Thomas, a farmer at Hartford City, Ind., who was carrying a bucket of corn, was angered when he had to jump out of the way of Dr. E. P. Stout's automobile and threw the 1yzed. The average, however, has been bucket into the machine, killing the worked out by authorities. According Doctor's 8-year-old daughter, Geral- to them the different percentages for dine. Dr. Stout jumped out and at- the solids and water vary somewhat, tacked Thomas, but bystanders sepa- are as determined by Bab rated them and Thomas was arrested.

Jas. D. Hill, pioneer railroad builder and financier, died at 9:30 o'clock No Reason Why Farmer Should Not Monday morning at his Summit avenne home, St. Paul. According to a statement given out by Mr. Hill's physicians, death was caused by an the private dairyman who wants to infection due to bowel trouble. Fol, market his cream in the form of butlowing an operation performed Satur- ter. Because the creameries have day afternoon, he sank rapidly and nearly monopolized the retail city his advanced age, 78 years, militated against discovery. The funeral was cessfully with the best of the creamheld at his home at 2 p. m. yesterday. ery butter. This class of butter, He was probably worth between which is made from but one herd of \$200,000,000 and \$250,000,000. Mr. | well-bred cows and from separated Hill had absolute control of the First most delicious articles of food, and National bank and Northwestern Trust can always command fancy prices company, which have a combined when it reaches the right people. It capital and surplus of \$6,500,000. The requires some business ability to work greatest portion of Mr. Hill's wealth, up a select trade for any home prodhowever, was in the stocks and bonds create a demand for a certain brand of the Great Northern, Northern Paci- of butter among those who know a fic and Chicago, Burlington and Quin- good article when they see or taste it, cy railroads. The executors of Mr. and are willing to pay a little extra Hill's estate will probably be Louis W. Hill, his son, and the Northwestern Trust company.

Sulphuric Acid Antidote. Burns from sulphuric acid are easily cured. Just remember that plain water-lots of it-must be poured on the victim of a sulphuric acid accident at once, even to throwing the party into the water, if possible. This acid on the skin feels like fire. With water quickly applied in great quantities this acid is rendered harmless. Men have been burned with it repeatedly without harm through a knowledge of this proper antidote. If not treated promptly the most horrible disfigurement results. The police department of Paris exhibits wax figures of faces of victims of the foreign practice of throwing this acid in one's face. A prompt treatment of water would have rendered the acid harmless.

The Child Critics. Parents are living daily before the most critical audience in the worldtheir child. The small deceit, the loss of temper—all such things are seen by the small critic, and they all color, in later years, his feeling for his parents.—From the Delineator.



RATION FOR DAIRY COWS

High Protein Concentrates Other Than Corn Must Supplement Rough-age-Oats Are Favored.

With fodder alone as roughage cows must have some high protein concentrates and they must be other than corn products. If the oats are worth less than middlings, it will be well to make them a part of the ration. Rye is as harmless as any other grain to a pregnant animal when not affected with ergot. If it is worth no more per pound than corn it may well be used in part. Cottonseed meal at the present time is a much cheaper source of protein than linseed meal, and with oats and rye or a wheat product in the ration also it may be used to supply the deficit of protein. However, if any cows appear to need a more laxative fation, better substitute linseed, at least in part, for the cottonseed meal.

It matters little to the cow whether the corn is shelled before being and Oklahoma has caused another de-cline in wheat, which is now down to to enable her to eat them readily.

But to compound a ration from the list submitted: Using the corn in the form of meal and grinding both oats meal.

According to Best Authorities Fat, Casein, Sugar, Albumen and Ash Will Vary Somewhat.

The accompanying diagram shows Held in suspension therein is what is collectively known as solids. These are fat, casein, sugar, albumen In the attacks on the British Isles and ash. It is generally understood that these milk solids vary more or less and it is impossible to make an



composition of milk unless it is anabut the ones given in the diagram

## BUTTER ALWAYS IN DEMAND

Compete With Creameries-Some Business Ability Needed.

There is plenty of room today for trade is no reason why butter made on the farm should not compete sucuct, yet it is not at all difficult to for what suits them.

Fresh air for cows, but no exposure to bad weather.

Corn silage, in the frozen stage, should not be fed to dairy cows.

The greatest contamination of the milk flow occurs at the time of milk-

Milking the cow clean will develop her udder and help to increase her milk capacity.

It never pays to kill the heifer calves from the best cows. Raise them to replace the poor cows. Milk must be promptly cooled and

kept cold. The growth of germs is checked by cold. Too much cannot be said about the way in which cows are treated in the

stable. Kindness must prevail. Frequent attention to distribution of Stopped Those Pains.

Copper Hill, Va.-Mrs. Ida Conhad a pain in my right a de, and I had a pain in my right a de, and was very sick with womanly traubles. I tried different doctors but could get no relief. I had given up all hope of ever getting well. I took Cardul, and it relieved the pain in my side, and now I feel like a new person. It is a wonderful medicine."

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Phrase Traced to Dickens.

"You are a daisy" is used by Dickens in "David Copperfield," in the sense of calling a person a dalsy to express admiration, and at the same time to laugh at one's credulity. Steerforth says to young Copperfield, "Da vid, my daisy, you are so innocent of the world. Let me call you my daisy, as it is so refreshing to find one in these corrupt days so innocent and unsophisticated. My dear Copperfield, the daisies of the field are not fresher than you."

#### Watch Child's Cough.

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> After the Honeymoon. She-"If I'd known you'd be such a brute to poor Fido I'd never have married you." He-"The anticipated pleasure of kicking that miserable little beast was one of my chief reasons for proposing."-Stray Stories.

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### BEST COMBINATION ON FARM

Poultry, Fruit and Bees Are Directly Benefited in Various Ways by Being Kept Together.

Of the many different lines of agricultural interests, poultry raising, fruit growing and bee keeping can be combined to the best advantage. Poultry, fruit and bees are directly benefited by being kept together. Three essential crops, meat, fruit and honey, can be grown on the same ground at one time, each contributing to the success of the other in various ways. Fruit trees afford the shade and

protection necessary for fowls and They yield food in blossoms, insects and fallen fruits and in return are benefited by losing all that is so eagerly devoured by the industrious beneficiaries of their beauty. Fowls not only decrease the insect pests in the orchard, but they deposit rich pourishment unsurpassed in quality for soil. The majority of farmhouses chards or plots of ground that with very little preparation can be made into ideal poultry runs. Where beginners are planning a plot to set out in fruit, future growth should be considered, standard apple trees should be planted 35 or 40 feet apart each way. as the trees do not get large enough to bear under ten years, nor attain full growth under twenty years. Many desirable crops can be secured in the meantime by setting out two peach or plum trees or rows of pear and cherry trees between the apple trees. This leaves ample room for bush fruit or berries to be raised and cultivated. It is best to put early baby chicks in bushes to prevent damage to tender roots from scratching. Baby chicks

### HOW TO PRUNE FRUIT TREES

Trimming During Dormant Seasons Tends to Wood Production-Summer Pruning Is Exhausting.

thrive best among bushes and vines.

Heavy top pruning increases the voody growth of trees. It may invigorate weak trees. It tends to lessen fruit production or even check it altogether. It induces the production of water sprouts, which are practically parasites as far as the welfare of the tree is concerned.

Prune weak trees relatively heavier than strong growing ones. Prune every year, removing small amounts of wood, rather than removing the same aggregate at longer intervals. Remove water sprouts as fast as they appear.

Root pruning lessens wood production and is sometimes practical in case of a tree which refuses to bear fruit. The scientific principle involved is that vegetable growth is checked and, as is the tendency in all growing things, fruit is produced as a mature



Young Peach Trees Not Headed Back and Will Break With First Good Crop of Fruit.

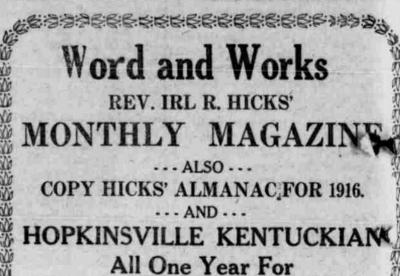
stage of growth is reached. Root pruning long continued is likely to permanently weaken the tree.

Pruning during dormant seasons tends to wood production and, during the growing season, to fruit production. This does not mean, however, that summer pruning is advisable, for it is exhausting and if continued reduces the vigor of the tree. It should be resorted to only under special conditions. Winter pruning, if properly practiced, is not objectionable from the standpoint of fruit production.

Trees properly pruned from planting time to fruit bearing need comparatively little pruning thereby. This practice also gives better formed trees and better results than if the young trees are neglected, necessitating later the removal of large branches.

Primary Object in Pruning. In pruning fruit trees, remember the primary object is to remove superfluous wood and to shape the tree. Remember also that pruning a tree during its dormant period, that is while the leaves are off, induces wood growth, while pruning during the summer, or pruning while the leaves are on the tree, retards the growth of wood and induces fruitfulness. Pruning the roots has the same effect.









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